

Diocese of St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands
Saints Peter & Paul Cathedral

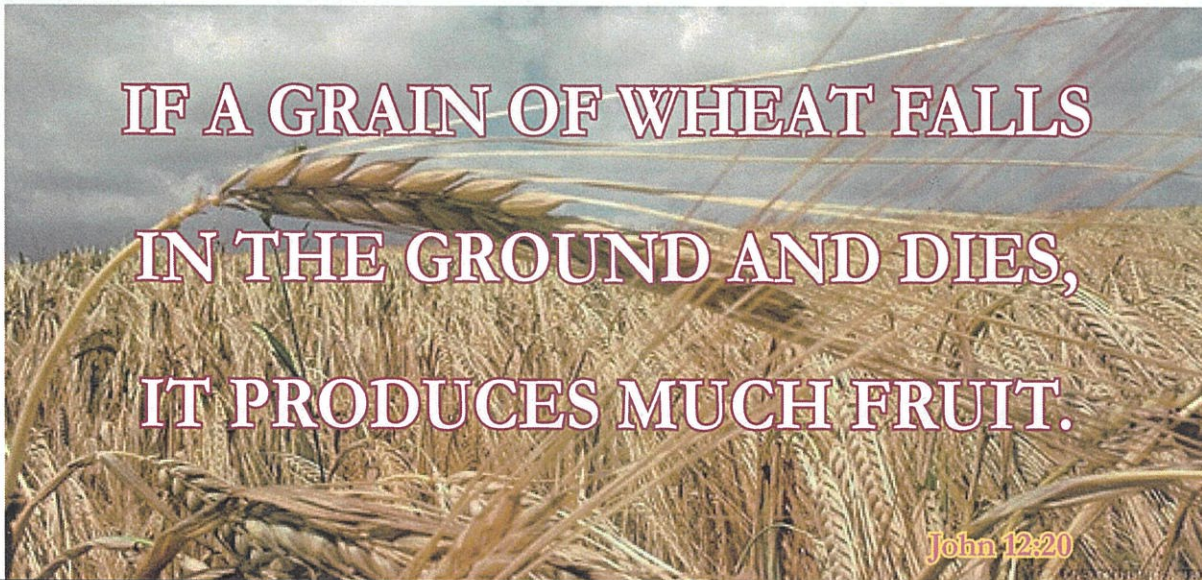
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Fifth Sunday of Lent
 March 21, 2021



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MISSION STATEMENT

To continue the ministry of Jesus Christ by:

Preaching the Good News to a Caribbean Community in keeping with the vision of the Roman Catholic Church. Furthering the faith of God's people with sound teaching and meaningful liturgies in keeping with the apostolic tradition. Promoting and implementing inclusive strategies to meet the needs of the populations that worship at Saints Peter & Paul Cathedral.

Fifth Sunday of Lent


- Jeremiah 31:31-34 I will make a new covenant and remember their sins no more.
- Psalms 51 "Create a clean heart in me, O God."
- Hebrew 5:7-9 Christ learned obedience and became the source of eternal salvation.
- John 12:20-33 If a grain of wheat falls in the ground and dies, it produces much fruit.

Jeremiah sets the tone for today's readings when he writes that the Lord promises a new covenant. The old covenant was external: the Chosen People were led by the hand. But the new covenant is eternal, written upon our hearts. As Christians, we believe that the new covenant is fulfilled in God's Son, who came into our hearts at baptism, who animates our lives, and who can be found in those we meet. Can we be like a grain of wheat, alive in the Lord, producing much fruit?

MASS INTENTIONS

- SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 2021:**
 7:00AM-Special Intention Rb M. Pascale Duplan
 4:30PM- Michael and Ariel Farrington (Birthdays)Rb themselves
- SUNDAY, MARCH 21, 2021:**
 7:00AM-†James Sibilly II Rb his mother & brothers
 10:00AM-†Marie T. Olive Rb Steve Olive and family
 12:00PM-†Ana Pastora Restrepo Rb José Cossio
 †María Mercedes & †Jonathan Vázquez Rb parents and siblings
- MONDAY, MARCH 22, 2021:**
 7:00AM-Special Intention Rb M. Pascale Duplan
- TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 2021:**
 7:00AM-†Marie Farrington Rb Michael Farrington
 †Louise Hughes Rb Ariel Farrington
- WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 2021**
 7:00AM -Kathleen James Rb herself
 12:15PM-Rita King (Special Intention) Rb a parishioner
- THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 2021:**
 7:00AM-Maria Jules (Birthday) Rb her children
- FRIDAY, MARCH 26, 2021:**
 7:00AM-†María Rodríguez Rb Steve & Virginia Olive and family
- SATURDAY, MARCH 27, 2021:**
 7:00AM-†Daniel Yannone Rb Pia Brunt
 4:30PM-†Hughley Prince Rb Steve&Virginia Olive and family
 †Decease family and friends Rb Julita de León

- SUNDAY, MARCH 28, 2021: PALM SUNDAY**
 7:00AM-†William Bredenbeck Rb Steve & Virginia Olive and family
 10:00AM-†Alan Browne Rb Steve & Virginia Olive and family
 †Madeline(Addie) Moolenaar Rb her children
 12:00PM -
- MONDAY, MARCH 29, 2021:**
 7:00AM-†Mr.&Mrs.Yannone and son Tyler Rb Steve & Virginia Olive and family
- TUESDAY, MARCH 30, 2021:**
 7:00AM -†Neisha Yannone Rb Pia Brunt
- WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31, 2021**
 7:00AM - †Tyler Yannone Rb Pia Brunt
 12:15PM -†María Rodríguez Rb Pia Brunt
- THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 2021:HOLY THURSDAY**
 6:00PM -Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper
- FRIDAY, APRIL 2, 2021: GOOD FRIDAY**
 12:00PM- Passion of the Lord
 3:00PM - Passion of the Lord
 5:00PM - Passion of the Lord



At the request of a parishioner
**The Vigil light will be lit
 in the Cathedral
 for
 BEVERLY McCLENDON**
 from March 20-26, 2021
 blessings for her

M A S S - S C H E D U L E

WEEKENDS
 Saturday: 4:30 PM (Vigil Mass)
 Sunday: 7:00AM, 10:00AM,
 12:00 PM (Spanish)

WEEKDAYS
 Monday to Saturday- 7:00AM
Holidays: 7:00AM

CONFESSIONS:
 Saturday: 4:00PM - 4:25PM
 or by Appointments

HOLY HOUR
 (Discontinued until further notice)
 Tuesdays: 7:30AM - 12:00PM
 Fridays: 7:30AM - 12:00PM

DEVOTIONS
 Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
 (Wednesday before Mass)

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:
 Every Sunday
 beginning with the 7:00AM Mass

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SAINT JOSEPH DAY:

The Holy Father proclaimed 2021 "Year of Saint Joseph" (from December 8, 2020 to December 8, 2021). Saint Joseph devotion is to be promoted this year. We will keep you posted concerning our diocesan activities related to this devotion. Please, ask Saint Joseph to intercede for your family.

EPISCOPAL ORDINATION COMMITTEE:

Will meet on Tuesday, March 23, 2021, in Columban Hall, Holy Family Church, at 5:30PM.

PENANCE SERVICE:

-This week, there will be a **Special Penance Service** on Thursday, **March 25, 2021** at Saints Peter and Paul Cathedral from **5:00PM to 6:00PM**.

LENTEN SEASON:

-Friday's Stations of the Cross devotion is scheduled at **5:30PM** in English and at **6:30PM** in Spanish.

NEW SCHEDULE:

-There are two Masses on **Wednesdays**, 7:00AM in the Cathedral and 12:15PM in the Chapel.

-Confessions are available from **3:45PM to 4:30PM** on Saturdays and from **11:45AM to 12:10PM** on Wednesdays.

SECOND COLLECTION:

The second collection this weekend is taken up for Cathedral Maintenance and Enhancement, and Easter Flowers. Next weekend second collection will go towards the Youth Ministry.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY:

This year, the Divine Mercy Sunday celebration will take place at Saints Peter and Paul Cathedral on **April 11th, 2021 at 2:30PM**.

LOURDES IN A DAY:

The Order of Malta is inviting all the sick to the 3rd annual "Lourdes in a Day" event. It will be at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church on Tuesday April 13th at 10:00AM. Holy Mass will be celebrated by Father Eduardo Ortiz. Holy Water from Lourdes will be available to all. Confessions and lunch will take place at this event.

ACT OF CONTRITION

O my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended You, and I detest all my sins, because I dread the loss of heaven and the pains of hell, but most of all because they offend You, my God, who are good and deserving of all my love. I firmly resolve, with the help of Your grace, to confess my sins, to do penance and to amend my life. Amen.

CHANCERY

BISHOP'S APPEAL 2021:

The Annual Bishop's Appeal supports three soup kitchens within our diocese. Every day hungry men and women are fed by your charity. By your generous contributions to the Bishop's Appeal, the work continues the ministry of Jesus. We ask you to please take home the brochure and pray about what sacrificial gift you can give to this worthwhile cause.

For your convenience, you may choose to make a pledge now and spread your payments over several months. Donations may be made in the form of cash, check or credit card. Please fill out the form in the brochure and make your **checks payable to "Diocese of St. Thomas"**. Please see the brochure for further information. Thank You!

**"It is not how much we give,
it is how much LOVE we put into giving."**

Saint Mother Theresa of Calcutta

COMMEMORATIVE BOOKLET ADS:

On Saturday, April 17th, 2021, Bishop-elect Jerome Feudjio will be ordained and installed as the 6th Bishop of the Diocese of St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands.

We invite you to purchase a commemorative booklet ad to extend your well wishes for the Bishop-elect.

The costs for ads are as follows:

Full Pg.-\$400; Quarter Pg.-\$150;

Half Pg.-\$250; Business Card-\$75

Should you wish to be named as patron the costs are:

Bronze-\$20; Silver-\$50; Gold-\$100;

Emerald-\$500; Platinum-\$250; Diamond \$1,000.

The deadline for submitting an ad is Thursday, April 1st. Please, complete the form at the church office and return it, along with your ad to usvibishopordination@gmail.com (ads should be sent as a jpeg file). If you are mailing your payment, please, submit a copy of the emailed form along with your check payable to **The Diocese of St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands**, with the memo "Ordination" and mail to: Diocese of Saint Thomas, ATTN: Booklet Committee, P.O. Box 301825 St Thomas, VI 00803.



Prayer



Fasting



Almsgiving

ANUNCIOS

REGLAS:

Durante esta pandemia, existen algunas reglas que todos debemos de seguir:

- 1-Utilize mascarilla todo el tiempo dentro de la iglesia.
- 2-Manténgase a 6 pies de distancia de las demás personas.
- 3- La Santa Comunión se tomará en la mano.

DIA DE SAN JOSÉ:

Este año litúrgico, el Santo Padre lo proclamó el “Año de San José”, del 8 de diciembre de 2020 al 8 de diciembre de 2021. Si gusta seguir la misa (en inglés), se transmitirá en vivo através del Internet el 19 de marzo (Día de San José) a las 4:30 PM. La dirección es la siguiente: <https://vimeo.com/519185069>.

CUARESMA:

-Este **jueves, 25 de marzo de 2021**, se llevará a cabo un **Servicio Especial de Penitencia (Confesiones) de 5:00PM a 6:00PM**.

-Todos los viernes se esta llevando a cabo el Via Crucis a las **6:30PM** en español, dentro de la Catedral.

-Todos los sábados hay confesiones desde las 3:45PM en la Catedral.

OFRENDA:

La segunda ofrenda de esta semana es recojida para la el Mantenimiento y Mejoras de la Catedral y para las Flores de Pascua.. El próximo fin de semana la segunda ofrenda será para el Ministerio de la Juventud.

DOMINGO DE LA MISERICORDIA DIVINA:

Este año, la celebración del Domingo de la Misericordia Divina se llevará a cabo en la Catedral de los Santos Pedro y Pablo el 11 de abril de 2021 a las 2:30PM.

LOURDES EN UN DIA:

La Orden de Malta invita a todos los enfermos al 3er evento anual “Lourdes en un día”. Será en la Iglesia Nuestra Señora del Perpetuo Socorro(Mafolie) el **martes 13 de abril a las 10:00 a.m.** La Santa Misa será celebrada por el Padre Eduardo Ortiz. Habrá Agua Bendita de Lourdes para todos los presentes, confesiones, y almuerzo.



Orar



Ayunar



Donar

QUINTO DOMINGO DE CUARESMA

ENTRADA:

A tan sólo siete días de la Semana Santa, los cristianos nos encontramos cara a cara con el misterio de la cruz. Cristo Jesús llegada la hora de su glorificación, al morir como el grano de trigo que cae en tierra, da el fruto de la nueva alianza en su sangre para el perdón de los pecados, como profetizó Jeremías y por la penosa obediencia de su Pasión, una vez constituido Señor, es fuente de salvación eterna para cuantos creen en Él. Como el grano de trigo, la muerte de Cristo será el principio de la vida. La Eucaristía nos da la fortaleza que necesitamos para morir al pecado y a nosotros mismos. Nos ponemos de pie para recibir a los ministros de esta celebración eucarística.

PRIMERA LECTURA:

En esta lectura el profeta Jeremías resume toda la experiencia de su vida íntima y toda la enseñanza de la historia. Dios promete a su pueblo una nueva alianza escrita en el mismo corazón del hombre. La ley de su vida será su propia conciencia. Escuchemos este pasaje del Antiguo Testamento en que se menciona el Nuevo Testamento.

SALMO RESPONSORIAL:

“ OH DIOS, CREA EN MÍ UN CORAZÓN PURO.”

SEGUNDA LECTURA:

La segunda lectura, tomada de la carta a los hebreos, el autor subraya la condición humana de Cristo. Aunque Él es Sacerdote, el Mediador de la Nueva Alianza, Él se sometió a la voluntad de Dios hasta padecer y morir.

EVANGELIO:

Ha llegado la “hora” de que sea glorificado el Hijo del hombre, dice Él de sí mismo. En el Evangelio de Juan la glorificación de Cristo significa su pasión muerte y resurrección, que Él mismo nos explicará. La breve parábola del grano de trigo se centra en la fecundidad del mismo: “Si no cae en tierra y muere, queda infecundo, pero si muere da mucho fruto”. De pie, por favor, para escuchar este gran mensaje de entrega.

NUESTRA IGLESIA Y NUESTRA ESCUELA SON AMBIENTES SEGUROS:

Todos estamos comprometidos con la protección de los niños en nuestras instituciones. **Si nota algún comportamiento nocivo hacia nuestros hijos, no dude en ponerse en contacto con nosotros lo antes posible.** Gracias

COMUNIÓN ESPIRITUAL

Creo, Jesús mío, que estás real y verdaderamente en el cielo y en el Santísimo Sacramento del Altar. Te amo sobre todas las cosas y deseo vivamente recibirte dentro de mi alma, pero no pudiendo hacerlo ahora sacramentalmente, ven al menos espiritualmente a mi corazón. Y como si ya te hubiese recibido, te abrazo y me uno del todo a Ti. Señor, no permitas que jamás me aparte de Ti.

(San Alfonso de Liguori)



DAILY READINGS

Sunday/Domingo, March 21

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

First Reading: Jeremiah 31:31-34

Second Reading: Hebrew 5:7-9

Gospel: John 12:20-33

Monday/Lunes, March 22

First Reading: Daniel 13:1-9,15-17,19-30,33-62

Gospel: John 8:1-11

Tuesday/Martes, March 23

First Reading: Numbers 21:4-9

Gospel: John 8:21-30

Wednesday/Miércoles, March 24

First Reading: Daniel 3:14-20,91-92,95

Gospel: John 8:31-32

Thursday/Jueves March 25

The Annunciation of the Lord

First Reading: Isaiah 7:10-14; 8:10

Second Reading: Hebrew 10:4-10

Gospel: Luke 1:26-38

Friday/Viernes, March 26

First Reading: Jeremiah 20:10-13

Gospel: John 10:31-42

Saturday/Sábado, March 27

First Reading: Ezekiel 37:21-28

Gospel: John 11:45-56

Sunday/Domingo, March 28

PALM SUNDAY OF

THE PASSION OF THE LORD

First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7

Second Reading: Philiphians 2:6-11

Gospel: Mark 14:1; 15:47 or 15:1-39

LENTEN SEASON SCHEDULE

STATION OF CROSS EVERY FRIDAY

5:00PM StANNE English

5:30PM SPPC English

6:30PM SPPC Spanish

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

SATURDAY, MARCH 27, 2021

4:15PM SPPC Blessing of Palms

4:30PM SPPC Vigil Mass

SUNDAY, MARCH 28, 2021

7:00AM SPPC Blessing of the Palms followed by Mass

8:30AM StANNE

10:00AM SPPC Blessing of the Palms followed by Mass

12:00PM SPPC Blessing of the Palms followed by Mass

THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 2021

HOLY THURSDAY OF THE LORD'S SUPPER -Bilingual

6:00PM SPPC Mass of the Lord's Supper followed by the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 9:00PM.

FRIDAY, APRIL 2, 2021 FRIDAY OF THE CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION (GOOD FRIDAY)

12:00PM SPPC

3:00PM SPPC

5:00PM SPPC - Spanish

LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS IN SPANISH – Procession will begin from Hurley Funeral Home at 4:00pm followed by the celebration of the Lord's Passion in Spanish in the Cathedral

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

SATURDAY APRIL 3, 2021 HOLY SATURDAY

6:00PM SPPC Easter Vigil Mass – Bilingual

SUNDAY APRIL 4, 2021 EASTER SUNDAY

7:00 AM SPPC

8:30AM St ANNE

10:00AM SPPC

12:00PM SPPC – Spanish

OUR CHURCH AND OUR SCHOOL ARE SAFE ENVIRONMENTS:

We are all committed to the protection of the children in our institutions. **If you notice any harmful behavior toward our children, do not hesitate to contact us as soon as possible.**

Thank you

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and desire You in my soul. Since I cannot now receive You in the Sacrament, come spiritually into my heart. I embrace You and unite myself wholly to You; do not permit me ever to be separated from You.

(St. Alphonsus de Liguori)

§ OBSERVANCE DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

Please, be announced that during this Pandemic, there are regulations to follow by everyone:

- 1- Wear face covering all the time in church.
- 2- Maintain social distance of 6 feet.
- 3- The Holy Communion will be taken in the hand.

**SECOND COLLECTION
WILL BE TAKEN AS FOLLOW:**

- MARCH 21, 2021:**
Cathedral Maintenance and Enhancement
Easter Flowers
- MARCH 28, 2021:**
Youth Ministry
- APRIL 2, 2021:**
Cathedral Maintenance and Enhancement
Holy Land

§ PASTORAL SERVICES FOR THE COMMUNITY

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Baptisms are generally held on the last Sunday of the month. Requests for a different date and time will be honored to the extent possible. Parents and sponsors who have not yet received the required baptismal instruction are expected to do so by attending our baptismal preparation program. Call the Parish Office well in advance so that class arrangements can be made.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Anyone wishing to have his or her wedding celebrated at Saints Peter and Paul Cathedral must contact the Church Office 9-12 months prior to the celebration by calling 340-774-0201 or through our webpage at www.cathedralvi.org and, talk to a priest for pre-wedding counseling. The Sacrament of Matrimony is generally celebrated on a Saturday between the hours of 11:00AM and 2:00PM. Please, contact the Pastor if you would like a different time for your wedding. (Note that Saturday mornings are reserved for cleaning and decorating the church.)

FUNERAL MASSES:

Funeral Masses at Saints Peter and Paul Cathedral are held on the designated day at 9:30AM. The Funeral Program should read "**Christian Burial**". If you would like a different time, please contact the pastor. Viewings will not take place inside the Cathedral. Funerals are not generally held on weekends (Saturday or Sunday). Thank you for your cooperation.

SICK & SHUT-INS:

If anyone in your family is ill, please inform the Parish. Give us their name so we can pray and minister to them.

HOME OR NURSING HOME

- LENO ABRAHAM
JENVILLE ANDREWS
EDWIN ARROYO
KNOLLY BEAZER
MONICA BIRKLEY
OLMAN C. CONNELL
HILDA DANIEL
RITA DUNCAN
DONALD FRANÇOIS
JOKATA GARCÍA
MERCEDES GARCÍA
WILFRED GARDIER
ALFREDO GASKIN
ERIC GRAF
ESONIA HASSELL
JOHN HENLEY
JOSEPH HODGE
WILBUR LEWIS
GWYNNETH MOOLENAAR
HUGO MOULON
JOSEPH MORRELL
ARACELY NICHOLSON
CAROLINE PARSONS
LEIDA PIZARRO
SONIA PIZARRO
HENRY J. RICHARDSON
PHYLLIS RODNEY
RAFAELA SANES
PETRONA STANISLAUS
CECILIA HILL-THOMAS
JOHN H. VENZEN
ULRICA VIALET

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STEPHANY LOUZAN
SHANEL NICHOLAS
JOSEPHINE NOCH
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RAMÓN ORTIZ
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